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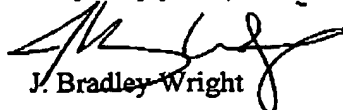
Re: Enclosed Amendment Under 37 CFR §1.116  
U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/698,624  
Docket No. No.56

Dear Examiner Smalley:

Enclosed for filing is an Amendment in response to the Final Office Action mailed on February 8, 2006, which should place the above-referenced case in condition for allowance.

Thank you in advance for your kind consideration on this case.

Very truly yours,

  
J. Bradley Wright

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 8, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows: